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Dear Mr. Saric and Mr. Schneider:

TRANSMITTAL OF REVISED 1 PROJECT SPECIFIC PLAN AND CHANGE PAGES TO THE CERTIFICATION DESIGN LETTER FOR AREA 1, PHASE I SEDIMENT TRAPS 2 AND 3

Reference:

Letter C:OOTP:98-0338, J. C. Bradburne to J. R. Craig, "Transmittal of the Revised Certification Design Letter and Project Specific Plan for Area 1, Phase I Sediment Traps 2 and 3," dated July 20, 1998.

As stated in the Certification Design Letter (CDL) and Project Specific Plan (PSP) for Area 1, Phase I (A1PI) Sediment Traps 2 and 3, the Area-Specific Contaminants of Concern (ASCOC) included the Poly-Chlorinated Biphenyl (PCB) Aroclor-1260. The ASCOC list was the standard list from A1PI, however, only select Certification Units (CU) were certified for PCBs. Figure 1 (enclosed) shows the A1PI CUs analyzed for Aroclor-1260, and the location of Sediment Traps 2 and 3. The revised PSP and change pages for the CDL remove Aroclor-1260 from the ASCOC list for Sediment Traps 2 and 3 for the following reasons:

- No PCBs were detected in the certification samples analyzed for A1PI.
- There is no surface water drainage from potentially PCB contaminated areas to the sediment traps.
- Review of historical data shows no PCB detects in the area:

Upon concurrence, PCB samples will not be collected or analyzed as part of this certification effort.

If you have any questions, please contact Robert Janke at (513) 648-3124.

Sincerely,

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